

IN THE SPECIFICATION:

Please amend Page 2, Lines 13-26 to read as follows:

The stated object is achieved by a recording medium on which is recorded an application and a plurality of management tables, each of which shows, in correspondence, the application and a run attribute of the application in a corresponding title, and the run attribute may be an automatic run attribute for automatically running the application in a branch destination title, if the application has a non-run status in the branch origin title. This auto-run attribute on the recording medium shows that the corresponding application is run automatically when the application is not being run in the branch origin, and therefore the application is run only in the case of the combination of being not run in the branch origin and having the auto-run attribute in the branch destination. Since running of an application is limited to the case of the combination of being not run in the branch origin and having the auto-run attribute in the branch destination, redundant application run processing can be avoided even when the progression of playback is complicated. Since applications are prevented from being run redundantly, Title boundaries are show how the application is to be controlled in a branch destination title if a branch between titles occurs. Therefore, redundant running of applications can be avoided when the progression of playback becomes complicated as the result of the branch between titles, and Title boundaries can be made relatively short. As a result smooth playback control can be realized, without the user being made aware of Title boundaries. This means that when providing a work such as a feature-length content that spans a plurality of Titles, or a series recorded on a plurality of BD-ROMs in the manner of a DVD box set, the true worth of the work can be exhibited.